

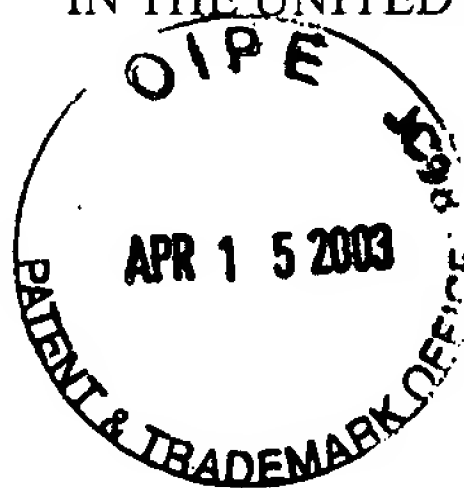
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Toshio KOBAYSHI et al.

Serial No.: 09/941,566

Filed: August 30, 2001



Group Art Unit: 1771

Examiner: E. Cole

For: ELASTICALLY STRETCHABLE COMPOSITE SHEET AND PROCESS FOR MAKING THE SAME

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ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.☐ Small entity status of this application has been established.☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.☐ Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	18	20	0	x \$18 =	
Independent Claims	2	3	0	x \$84 =	
If multiple claims newly presented, add \$280.00					
Fee for extension of time					
TOTAL FEE DUE					

☐ A credit card authorization form in the amount of is attached☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1337, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are being submitted in response to the Official Action dated January 15, 2003. This Amendment is presented in the revised amendment format that came into effect on January 31, 2003.

No clean version of the amended claims and/or specification is required.